

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For

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PRESSURIZATION FOR ALTITUDE

INSENSITIVITY, HIGH PITCH AND HIGH PRELOAD SENSITIVITY AIR BEARING

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Docket No.: S01.12-0968//STL 11094.00

Examiner: Brian E. Miller

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PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME AND FEE

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated ---. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the fee for the extension of time. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

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The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1123. A duplicate of this Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed.

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